



## **EPA OPENS PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR AVTEX FIBERS SUPERFUND SITE PROPOSED PLAN**

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has opened the public comment period for the Proposed Removal Action Plan (Proposed Plan) for the Avtex Fibers Superfund Site in Front Royal. The Proposed Plan addresses the plans to close Sulfate Basins 1, 2, 3, 4, 4E, and 5; the Waste Water Treatment Plant Basins, including the Emergency Lagoon and two polishing basins; and Fly Ash Basins 1, 2, 3, and 6 and Stockpile.

EPA relies on community input when making decisions about a Superfund Site.

**Interested parties may comment on the Proposed Plan until July 2, 1999.** EPA will summarize and address all comments received at the public meeting and written comments postmarked by July 2, 1999, in an Action Memorandum.

Information about the Site and the Proposed Plan is available in the Administrative Record file. You may review the file at the information repository:

**Samuels Public Library, 538 Villa Avenue, Front Royal, Virginia, (540) 635-3153. Hours: Monday -Thursday, 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.; Friday - Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.; Sunday, 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

To submit comments about the Proposed Plan or to find out more information about the site, please contact one of the following EPA representatives:

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### **Public Meeting**

EPA will hold a public meeting at **7:00 p.m. on June 17** to present the Proposed Plan and to address questions and concerns.

**Town Hall Council Chambers**  
**16 N. Royal Avenue**  
**Front Royal**  
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